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Cody Toal
King County Water and Land Resources Division
DNR and Parks
201 South Jackson Street, Suite 600
Seattle, Washington 98104-3855

Dear Mr. Toal:

RE: 2016 Riparian Planting - Temporary Water Use Authorization No. S1-28819

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) received your application requesting temporary withdrawal of surface water for watering native plants at habitat restoration sites from May 15, 2016 to October 31, 2016.

- For streams that have been closed to further consumptive uses, withdrawals of water are authorized only in those situations where it is clear that overriding considerations of the public interest will be served. Ecology is committed to support projects that have a direct positive impact on stream habitat. According to RCW 90.54.020(3), the quality of the natural environment shall be protected, and where possible, enhanced. In these cases, water use is authorized when flows are at or above 1 cubic foot per second.
- For rivers where instream flows have been established, water right authorizations are conditioned by instream flows. This means the right to use water can legally be interrupted if stream flows drop below a specific level. Because flows change daily, it is up to the applicant to check the gauges in the sources indicated and shall be responsible for the termination of watering when the flows are not being met (see enclosed spreadsheet).

Ecology appreciates the past cooperation you have shown in seeking alternative methods to watering project plants by using reclaimed water and municipal water where available, and recommends these alternatives when flows are not met at project sites.

Nothing in this temporary water use authorization allows for its holder to impair existing water rights.

Water use authorizations are subject to provisions as listed by project, and continue through **October 31, 2016**. The Water and Land Resources Division shall record how much water is used at each site and will notify Ecology if any of these projects have ended prematurely, been delayed, or completed. Each project site should use procedures to eliminate any waste of water.



YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have a right to appeal this decision to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision. The appeal process is governed by Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

To appeal you must do the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision:

- File your appeal and a copy of this decision with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.
- Serve a copy of your appeal and this decision on Ecology in paper form - by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) E-mail is not accepted.

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

ADDRESS AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses
Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive SE Lacey WA 98503	Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia WA 98504-7608
Pollution Control Hearings Board 1111 Israel Rd SW Ste 301 Tumwater WA 98501	Pollution Control Hearings Board PO Box 40903 Olympia WA 98504-0903

*For additional information visit the Environmental Hearings Office Website:
<http://www.eho.wa.gov> To find laws and agency rules visit the Washington State Legislature
Website: <http://www.l.leg.wa.gov/CodeReviser>*

If you have any questions, please contact John Rose at (425) 649-7230.

Sincerely,



Tom Buroker
Section Manager
Water Resources Program

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Enclosure: Project spreadsheet

By Certified Mail: 9171 9690 0935 0106 7177 93

Watershed/ Tributary To:	Waterbody	WRIA	Project Name (**continued from previous year)	S/T/R	# of Plants	Amount of Water Needed (15 gallons per plant)	WAC Reference	Ecology's Determination
Snoqualmie River	Snoqualmie River	7	Huber	09/23N/08E	120	Approximately 1,800 gallons per month	Instream flows set by WAC 173-507-020 for the Snoqualmie River.	Use of water granted when flows are met at gauge 12.1445.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-507 WAC.
Snoqualmie River	South Fork Snoqualmie River	7	Priarie Acres	16/23N08E	25	Approximately 375 gallons per month	Instream flows set by WAC 173-507-020 for the Snoqualmie River.	Use of water granted when flows are met at gauge 12.1445.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-507 WAC.
Snoqualmie River	Snoqualmie River	7	Circle River Ranch	04/23N08E	225	Approximately 3,375 gallons per month	Instream flows set by WAC 173-507-020 for the Snoqualmie River.	Use of water granted when flows are met at gauge 12.1445.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-507 WAC.
Snoqualmie River	Snoqualmie River	7	Upper Carlson Riparian Restoration	10/24N/07E	500	Approximately 7,500 gallons per month	Instream flows set by WAC 173-507-020 for the Snoqualmie River.	Use of water granted when flows are met at gauge 12.1490.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-507 WAC.
Snoqualmie River	Raging River	7	Hursch/Peterson, Palenchus	33/24N/07E	1165	Approximately 17475 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-507-030(2)	RCW 90.54.020(3)(A) Overriding consideration of the public interest allows for the use of water. Use of water granted when flows are above 1 cfs.
Snoqualmie River	North Fork Tolt River	7	Lyons Tolt River Restoration	12/25N07E	700	Aproximately 10,500 gallons per month	Instream flows set by WAC 173-507-020 for the Snoqualmie River.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS gauge 12.1490.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-507 WAC.
Snoqualmie River	Skykomish River	7	Mammoth Sammamish	27/26N/05E	850	Approximately 12,750 gallons per month	Instream flows set by WAC 173-507-020 for the Snoqualmie River.	Use of water granted when flows are met at gauge 12.1345.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-507 WAC.
Snoqualmie River	Harris Creek	7	Harris Creek Restoration	22/26N07E	479	Approximately 7,185 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-507-030(2)	
Snoqualmie River	Tolt River	7	Wagner Rumel Tolt River Restoration	11/25N/07E	500	Approximately 7,500 gallons per month	Instream flows set by WAC 173-507-020 for the Snoqualmie River.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS gauge 12.1490.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-507 WAC.
Cedar Sammamish	Cedar River	8	Sammamish Transition zone mitigation	35/26N/05E	2,230	Approximately 33,450 gallons per month	Cedar River and all its tributaries are subject to instream flows by WAC 173-508-060.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS gauge 12.1190.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-508 WAC.
Cedar Sammamish	Cedar River	8	Huselton and Dean SHRP	04/22N/06	2000	Approximately 30,000 gallons per month	Cedar River and all its tributaries are subject to instream flows by WAC 173-508-060.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS gauge 12.1190.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-508 WAC.
Cedar Sammamish	Cedar River	8	Dorre Don Revetment	15/22N/06E	60	Approximately 900 gallons per month	Cedar River and all its tributaries are subject to instream flows by WAC 173-508-060.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS gauge 12.1190.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-508 WAC.
Cedar Sammamish	Cedar River	8	Hansen	23/22N/06E	90	Approximately 1,350 gallons per month	Cedar River and all its tributaries are subject to instream flows by WAC 173-508-060.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS guage 12.1190.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-508 WAC
Cedar Sammamish	Cedar River	8	Cedar Rapids Right Bank	24/23N/05E	265	Approximately 3,975 gallons per month	Cedar River and all its tributaries are subject to instream flows by WAC 173-508-060.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS guage 12.1190.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-508 WAC
Cedar Sammamish	Cedar River	8	Belmondo I&III	29/23N26E	163	Approximately 2,445 gallons per month	Cedar River and all its tributaries are subject to instream flows by WAC 173-508-060.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS guage 12.1190.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-508 WAC

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Cedar Sammamish	Stormwater Pond	8	Wildlife Crossing	34/26N/06E	100	Approximately 1,500 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-508-040	RCW 90.54.020(3)(A) Overriding consideration of the public interest allows for the use of water. Use of water granted when flows are above 1 cfs.
Cedar Sammamish	Bear Creek	8	Klapp Resortation	31/26N/06E	1,400	Approximately 21,000 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-508-040	RCW 90.54.020(3)(A) Overriding consideration of the public interest allows for the use of water. Use of water granted when flows are above 1 cfs.
Cedar Sammamish	15 Mile Creek	8	15 Mile Creek Bridge 1384B	15/23N/06E	414	Approximately 6,210 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-508-040	RCW 90.54.020(3)(A) Overriding consideration of the public interest allows for the use of water. Use of water granted when flows are above 1 cfs.
Cedar Sammamish	Issaquah Creek	8	Bandaret Bridge Replacement	15/23N/06E	800	Approximately 12,000 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-508-040	RCW 90.54.020(3)(A) Overriding consideration of the public interest allows for the use of water. Use of water granted when flows are above 1 cfs.
Cedar Sammamish	Cedar River	8	Mourey Small Habitat Restoration	4/22N/6E	1,500	Approximately 22,500 gallons per month	Cedar River and all its tributaries are subject to instream flows by WAC 173- 508-060.	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS guage 12.1190.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-508 WAC
Cedar Sammamish	Stensland Creek	8	Lower Stensland Creek Restoration	06/25N/06E	300	Approximately 4,500 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-508-040	RCW 90.54.020(3)(A) Overriding consideration of the public interest allows for the use of water. Use of water granted when flows are above 1 cfs.
Cedar Sammamish	May Creek	8	May Creek Habitat Improvements	2/22N/5E	250	Approximately 3,750 gallons per month	This tributary is closed all year in accordance with WAC 173-508-040	RCW 90.54.020(3)(A) Overriding consideration of the public interest allows for the use of water. Use of water granted when flows are above 1 cfs.
Green Duwamish	Green River	9	Fenster Mitigation Planting	17/21N/05E	275	Approximately 4,125 gallons per month	The Green River is subject to instream flows by WAC 173-509-030(2).	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS guage 12.1130.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-509 WAC
Green Duwamish	Green River	9	Foster Golf Revetment Repair 2015	14/23N/04E	70	Approximately 1,050 gallons per month	The Green River is subject to instream flows by WAC 173-509-030(2).	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS guage 12.1130.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-509 WAC
Green Duwamish	Green River	9	Reddington	31/22N/05E	2,195	Approximately 32,925 gallons per month*	The Green River is subject to instream flows by WAC 173-509-030(2).	Use of water granted when flows are met at USGS guage 12.1130.00 in accordance with Chapter 173-509 WAC

*Assuming all plantings supplied by surface water